

OFFICIAL RESPONSES TO VENDOR QUESTIONS

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No.	Question	Answer
1.	Section 1.2.4 Does the program have to be licensed as a facility by Health Facilities Administration? What section would the recovery house fall under if this does apply?	Licensure is determined by the level of staff and types of services that are provided. If you are proposing Level 3 or Level 4 Residences, review He-P 826 to determine if it needs to be licensed.
2.	Section 1.4 Will the whole residence need to be used for the population of OUD or can we designate a percentage or certain number of beds?	As long as all grant requirements are met, including allowing residents receiving MAT, a percentage of beds is acceptable. Funds can only be used for that percentage of costs of the housing services.
3.	Section 1.4.1 Are children allowed in the women's housing? If so, what will the age limit be for children?	Proposals that include children will be accepted. Vendors should determine age limits and number of children and state it in their proposal as well as describing any services and/or safety and security measures for the children.
4.	Section 1.4.3 In regards to the general population, does it need to be a mix of male and female or can it be men only?	General population can be single gender or mix of male and female. Please specify in proposal.

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5.	Section 1.6.1 If a vendor already provides services to clients under another procurement/contract is the vendor still required to register with the state of NH?	All housing funded through this grant will need to be registered with the state of NH as Recovery Housing when the NH Administrative Rules for that process are approved.
6.	Section 1.6.2 Do vendors have to be a member of NARR? Or do vendors just have to follow the guidelines?	Vendors need to follow NARR standards.
7.	Section 1.7.1 Can the Department provide clarification on what funding may be set-aside at the discretion of the vendor? Could it be used as vouchers to help pay for first and last months' rent?	Vendors may set aside funding for supports, services or financial assistance they determine necessary to aid in the individual's ability to access and be successful as a resident of the recovery house. This includes providing vouchers to assist with rent.
8.	Section 1.7.1 Are the funds available divided further for each region/county or is there only \$500,000 (SFY 2019) and \$400,000 (SFY 2020) available for the entire state or for each vendor?	Funds in the amount in 1.7.1 are available for the entire state and will be split among vendors based on proposed budgets.

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9.	Section 1.7.2 Is there only \$75,000 available for the entire state, region, county or each vendor? Is this part of the \$900,000 for both SFYs?	The \$75,000 is available for the entire state and inclusive of the \$900,000 available over the two SFYs.
10.	General Would the Department entertain a proposal in collaboration with local Recovery Community Organizations (RCO) and NARR Recovery Housing Agencies?	The Department would accept a proposal from a collaboration of recovery houses that are working with RCOs to ensure access to recovery support services for residents. However, access to recovery housing should not be contingent upon maintaining services with a particular agency or level of care.